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In re Application of :
Timothy N. Jones et al. :
Application No. 09/264,547 :
Filed: March 8, 1999 :
Attorney Docket No. 018563-006000US/AT00109 :

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed November 24, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is granted.

The above-identified application became abandoned as a result of petitioner's failure to file an appeal brief (and fee required by 37 CFR 1.17(c)) within the time period provided in 37 CFR 1.192(a). As an appeal brief (and appeal brief fee) was not filed within two (2) months of the Notice of Appeal filed March 4, 2003, and no extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained, the appeal was dismissed and the proceedings as to the rejected claims were terminated. See 37 CFR 1.192(b) & 1.197(c). As no claim was allowed, the-above-identified application became abandoned on May 5, 2003. See MPEP 1215.04.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center AU 3732 for further processing.

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